

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: KRAUS

In re Application of:)	
MANFRED KRAUS & MICHAEL BOGNER)	Examiner: Charles, Marcus
Appl. No.: 10/806,068)	Group Art Unit: 3682
Filed: March 22, 2004)	Confirmation No.: 1525
For: TENSIONER WITH ADJUSTABLE BIASING FORCE OF A TRACTION MEMBER)	

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION dated July 25, 2006

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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This communication is in response to the Official Action of July 25, 2006, having a shortened period for response terminating October 25, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned to extend the period for response to above-referenced Official Action by ONE month until November 27, 2006.

☒ Accompanying this amendment is the appropriate fee of \$120.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c) and 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).

- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee of \$ pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c) and 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby also authorized to charge any fees which may be required during the pendency of this application, including any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, and any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16, including presentation of extra claims, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 06-0502.

Please amend the above-entitled application as follows: